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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docker No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

My name is Drew Maconachy and Im an owner of Maconachy-Stradley Insurance, an independent insurance agency servicing customers across the country from our headquarters in North Canton, Ohio. We are a customer of First Communications, a local competitive telecommunications company. It has been brought to my attention that AT&T and Verizon are trying to raise rates that would ultimately have a material impact on small business customers like us. I would ask that you please deny AT&Ts request so as to avoid a damaging impact on our business from higher rates and to alternative carriers businesses that ensure a fair marketplace. As a small business, we rely on competitive alternatives to AT&T and Spectrum to ensure great service and pricing. Thank you for your consideration.